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LET THE PUBLIC KNOW

For a number of years tax payers have demanded that the financial condition of the county be made known to them thru publication of receipts and expenditures as required by law that the county court should cause to be done each year in May. For their information we will say that the county court has had the statement setting forth in detail the source of all money and what it was spent for and the amounts published in some paper in the county, but under the rule adopted by some court several years ago, the great majority of the taxpayers have not been aware that such publication had been made. The failure to see the statement has been occasioned by not taking the paper in which the publication appeared, to do so each year necessitating that one be a subscriber for five or six of the county papers.

There is no question but that the taxpayer has a right to be informed of what becomes of his money, nor that the court has the right to adopt the best plan for getting information to him, under the law, and being fully satisfied of this, the court is considering a revision of the rule made some years ago whereby the financial statement was passed around among the papers, rotary fashion, regardless of location or circulation.

If the court can arrange to have the statement published in, say three of the county papers each year at no greater cost than it has been heretofore to have it published in one, there is no doubt but that the change will be fully approved by the tax payers and all other interested parties.

Shannon Wayland was entered as a member of the Missouri Athletic Club at St. Louis Saturday night at the meet in which the Columbian A. C. was the winner. Wayland was entered in the 50-yard dash and 50-yard high hurdle. The affair was a handicap match and nothing is known as to the place where Wayland was put in this match or in fact, much of anything about it. It seems that he won third place in one heat of one of the events. The belief is that Wayland will make a far better showing when the time for regular cinder practice arrives and when he can get out in the open for outdoor work. The 50-yard events are a little short for Wayland who is not a fast man on the start. When he gets out to the 100-yard dash, the high hurdle and the broad jump it is believed he will be heard from as his marks made in the past indicate that he will be able to travel with fast company and give a good account of himself when he gets into little more lengthy sprints. He wrote he hit a hurdle during the race and this set him back. He believes he can win on March 14.

George Ireland has sold his interest in the Model Mill at Salisbury to Thomas Edwards and F. M. Leach. The latter in turn sold their share of the Salisbury Mill to Ireland.

Rev. M. F. Crowe formerly of Salisbury who left the church there to go to Arkansas to embark in the real estate business is back in Missouri again. He is located at Moberly and is engaged in the evangelistic field. When he deserted the ministerial field he published a letter setting forth his reason therefore.

Mrs. Elliott Entertains

Mrs. Warren Elliott was hostess to the Sewing Club and a few invited guests at her home in E. Bridge street, last Friday evening. The guests were entertained at forty-two for a few hours and at eleven o'clock luncheon was served. The menu was for the first course, pimento, cheese sandwiches, pickles, chicken patties, grape ice and banana salad; second course, steam pudding and hard sauce; third course coffee and mints. There were five tables at forty-two and in all about twenty-five guests.

The Gross Sale

One of the largest crowds seen at a public sale in this vicinity this spring attended the sale of Robt. Gross, three miles north of town, on Monday of this week. The day was made very disagreeable by a high, chilling wind from the southeast, and the roads were about as bad as they have been at any time this winter. But the crowd was there many coming from 10 to 15 miles away.

And it was a buying crowd. Not once did the bidding lag, and good prices were paid for most of the property sold. Col. A. J. Houston of Salisbury was the auctioneer, and he worked like a veteran of the block. He is one of the very few men we have ever seen who could talk all the time, without stopping long enough to get a breath. He keeps the bidders right at his heels all the time. He gets them to bid, bid quick, and bid good bids. Houston is an auctioneer.

Mr. Gross and his family are preparing to go to Florida, where his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gross are now living. —Brunswick.

Obituary

Mrs. Mary Hellmann Bucksath was born in Wurtemberg, Germany May 21, 1834 and died at the home of her grand daughter Mrs. D. T. Hedges near East Leavenworth, Mo., on February 27, 1914 at 1 o'clock A. M. aged 79 years 9 months and 6 days. She came from Germany to Pennsylvania in 1846 and from there she came to Weston, Mo. She was married February 26, 1856 to George Hellmann to this union there were born three children, Henry, John G. and Lillie now Mrs. George Adam. Her husband died August 7, 1882. Then in 1887 she married Henry Bucksath of Dalton, Mo., who died September 15, 1902. After his death she visited with relatives. She united with the German Lutheran church in Germany at an early age. But when she came to Weston she united with the German Methodist church and was a faithful member, always bearing her part in every good work.

The funeral was conducted from the M. E. Church South at Weston, Mo., on Saturday afternoon February 28, 1914 by Rev. W. H. Ezell and interment made in Laurel Hill cemetery by the side of her first husband.

The pallbearers were John Thorn, G. A. How, W. J. Rump, John Schumacher, G. H. Baker and Geo. Brill.

Ernest Heing Drowned

An aunt of Ernest Heing, a son of Tony Heing who lives east of Glasgow took the young man with her to Gasconade to help her move to a small farm she had purchased near Glasgow. While crossing the Missouri river in a skiff last week, after night, with two other men the skiff capsized and young Heing with another was drowned, one swimming to safety.

Heing was 23 years old and a member of the Odd Fellows Lodge at Glasgow. The bodies had not been recovered at last account.

READ COURIER ADS

Salisbury Scribbings

John Rafferty, commonly called "Uncle Jack," passed away at the home of his sister, Mrs. Canan, near the Catholic church Sunday and remains were laid to rest near Hamden Tuesday. We had known the deceased for many years and always found him a man of his word, kind and genial, with a regular Irish heart in him, for he was a son of Erin, ready and willing to do his part and more. For many years he farmed near Hamden where he raised a family, but as age advanced upon him, he gave up the home and went to live with his sister. In religion he was a devoted Catholic and died in that faith. Peace to his remains.

A. W. Johnson on Monday sold his property on South Broadway to B. C. Fowler for \$975 who will take possession as soon as tenants can move.

Mrs. Leon Loeb is preparing to build a home on her residence lot on W. 4th Street, next that of Lazar Loeb, her brother-in-law. This is a fine location and we congratulate the fortunate owner.

G. G. Wilson and family of Audrain county have moved to our city and are located in Heryford's addition south of the academy. We bid them welcome.

The first Sunday in April has been selected as a "go to church day" here and an effort will be made to induce every man, woman and child to attend church that day. Push it along.

Mrs. Theo. Tilson has been quite sick, but is improving. She took cold while the house was being fumigated after variola had subsided.

Mrs. Geo. Winkelmeyer is on the sick list, threatened with appendicitis, and an operation will likely be necessary to restore her to health.

Mrs. I. M. Hickerson has a bad case of dropsy and is in a serious condition. She is an old lady, and her friends fear the result of her illness.

Gilbert Lamb, convalescent from small pox left for St. Louis Sunday night to recuperate.

A. J. DeMoss has brought suit against Elmer Powell, in Justice Trammel's court for unlawful detainer. The controversy grows out of the attempt to rent a farm near Hamden. McKittrick for plaintiff and Collet for defendant.

Dr. Mac Welch has moved out on his father's farm west of town and will become a tiller of the soil. We wish the doctor the success he deserves and congratulate him on his grit.

Geo. Philpott and Rolla Bunnell left this week for Morris, Minn., where they hope to obtain employment. They are good boys and our best wishes go with them.

O. P. Ray, Luther Wright and Sheriff O'Bryan were over on business Saturday.

Monday night two stores, Stamper Bros. and Bertsch Bros. were entered by sneak thieves, or amateur burglars and a small amount of goods stolen from each place. No positive clue has been obtained, but most people think it must have been the work of home talent.

Elizabeth Holiday

Elizabeth Holliday, colored, died March 6 at her home in Bowling Green township at the age of 78 years. The funeral was held Sunday with burial at New Hope.

Russell Miller

Russell Miller, colored, a young man of this city died Monday, March 9 and the funeral was held at the colored church Tuesday, March 10. The funeral was in the cemetery west of Keytesville.

Best Abstracts of Titles.
Minter-Lamkin Abstract Co.

Brunswick Brevities

O. A. Montgomery returned Sunday evening from Kirksville where he has been for the past month.

Dick Hunt, the accomodating deputy recorder was here Wednesday.

Martin Ruchinbach, the popular salesman of Warner Bros. clothing store visited friends here Sunday.

Chas. A. Keyte returned Thursday from Sedalia where he has been for the past week.

Sterling Price of Keytesville was here Thursday shaking hands with the voters and telling them he was to be Chariton county's next recorder.

J. F. Montgomery of Keytesville's prominent attorney was here Friday and Saturday.

James Rucker of Keytesville was a Brunswick visitor Sunday.

The Chariton County Teachers Association met here Thursday and Friday, Supt. C. C. Carlstead had charge of the institute.

Mrs. Ora Magruder Woodward returned to her home at St. Louis Thursday.

Dr. Hawkins and wife of Salisbury visited the family of B. H. Smith Sunday.

Dr. A. W. Zillman of Keytesville was here last week on professional business.

Hon. F. C. Sasse transacted business in Carrollton the latter part of last week.

Rev. Gresham left Monday for Moberly where he expects to undergo operation for cancer on his face.

Rev. Yokley, president of Christian College at Camden Point preached here Friday evening.

The M. E. church had a good congregation Sunday night. The Baptist church is bringing out a good bunch of church goers for services since Rev. Russell took charge.

The ladies of the M. E. church had a candy sale Saturday afternoon at the T. F. White store. The ladies had some good candy and it met with a ready sale. They took in about \$19 and cleared about \$15 for the good of the cause.

Low Colonist Fares

Via Wabash R. R.

To points in
Alberta Nevada
Arizona New Mexico
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Tickets on sale daily at Wabash Stations March 15th to April 15th inclusive. Stop over privileges at many points. Tickets honored in Tourist Sleepers.

One Way Second Class Settlers Fares, to points in Alberta, Montana, North Dakota and Saskatchewan, on sale Tuesday, March 10th, and each Tuesday, thereafter during March and April.

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Keytesville, Mo.

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4 1-2 lbs. Blanke's coffee 1.00
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1 bu. early seed potatoes 1.35
3 pr. mens and boys sox for 1 pr. men \$1.00 overalls for 1 20c towel for only .10
4 \$18.00 9x12 rugs for 13.50
60 yds. of linoleum 60c only .49
Eggs wanted 22c doz., hens 12, roosters 6c.

J. M. Halley Mfg. Co.
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CHARTER NO. 1035

Official Statement of the Financial Condition OF THE BANK OF KEYTESVILLE

at Keytesville, State of Missouri, at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1914, published in the Chariton Courier, a newspaper printed and published at Keytesville, State of Missouri, on the 4th day of Mar., 1914.

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and discounts, evidenced by good personal or collateral...	60,885 00	Capital stock paid in	\$ 20,000 00
Loans, real estate	7,585 00	Surplus fund	10,000 00
Overdrafts	5,275 00	Undivided profits, net	5,000 00
Due from other banks and banks	62,561 00	Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	117,775 00
Cash items	150 00	Individual deposits, subject to check	14,805 00
Currency	5,425 00	Time certificates of deposit	14,805 00
Specie	5,261 00		
Total	\$170,487 00	Total	\$170,487 00

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss. We, A. G. Friesz, as President, and M. W. Anderson, as Cashier, of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

A. G. FRIESZ, President.
M. W. ANDERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of March, A. D. nineteen hundred and fourteen, at Keytesville, Missouri, in presence of the undersigned, a Notary Public, duly sworn and qualified for a term expiring January 9th, 1915.

Directors
J. L. CHOPPER
C. F. THRASH
E. F. BREWER, JR.

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Cream Puffs (filled with marshmallows) per doz. 15c
Almond Macaroons (first class) per doz. 10c
Angel Food Cakes (vanilla flavor) each 25c

These goods are all first class in every respect. Give them a trial at

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You will be penalized after
March 15

B. M. GARDNER

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WE HAVE THE CHEAPEST FIVE AND ONE-HALF PER CENT MONEY OBTAINABLE IN CHARITON COUNTY.

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